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Applicant:

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Title:

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NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Examiner in the Final Office Action dated December 2, 2004, finally rejecting Claims 1-8 in the above-identified application.

- [X] Applicant claims small entity status.
- [X] Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for the total number of months as checked below.
- [X] Notice of Appeal Fee to be paid as detailed below.

The required fees are calculated below:

[X]	Notice of Appeal Fee	\$500.00
[X]	Extension for response filed within the third month:	\$1,020.00
	FEE TOTAL:	\$760.00
[X]	Small Entity Fees Apply (subtract ½ of above):	\$760.00
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- [] Please charge Deposit Account No. 19-0741 in the amount of \$0.00. A duplicate copy of this transmittal is enclosed.
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- [X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-0741. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by a check being in the wrong amount, unsigned, post-dated, otherwise improper or informal or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

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